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In re patent application of Freire et al.

Serial No. 09/950,047

Group Art Unit 1631

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For **"STRUCTURAL PREDICTION OF ALLOSTERISM"**

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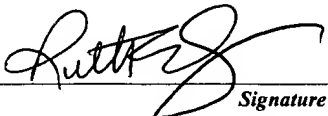
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In response to the Office Action mailed February 13, 2004, please amend the above-identified patent application in view of the following remarks.

A complete **Listing of Claims** begins on page 2 of this paper, with an indication of the status of each claim (e.g. "cancelled", "currently amended" "original" or "new").

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Applicant(s): E. Freire, et al.					
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<u>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u>					
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.					
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